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Interview Summary

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Applicant(s)

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Examiner

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3632

All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

(1) RAMON O. RAMIREZ.

(3) ____.

(2) JAY WILLIAMS.

(4) ____.

Date of Interview: 08 April 2009.

Type: a) ☒ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference

c) ☐ Personal (copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant

2) ☐ applicant's representative

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes

e) ☒ No.

If Yes, brief description: ____.

Claim(s) discussed: 1.

Identification of prior art discussed: Casey (1576307).

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☒ was not reached. h) ☐ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Mr Williams argued that the pin shown by the reference was not cylindrical, and that no welding connection was shown; the examiner responded that the pin shown by the reference is cylindrical, and that the use of welds is an obvious and well known securing means.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

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